GORDON SAC MINUTES

May 24, 2016

PRESENT: Chris Seabrook, Diana Dusome, Michelle Leone, Sherri McQueen, Mark Verwey, Shirley Edwards, Heather Munderich, Greg Watson, Lisa Mooney

Regrets: Ted Waskawich, Tony D’Alessandro

Administration Report:

* EQAO will begin on May 24th and run until June 2nd
* School Improvement Plan Key Areas:

1. Focus on literacy
2. Learning teams with staff- math, literacy, self-regulation
3. Seven teachers are taking the Math AQ course

* New Kindergarten Curriculum coming out next year
* Cash Online is up and going, if you haven’t signed up please do so
* Talent Show is on June 7th
* Primary Play Day is on June 16th
* Grade 8 graduation is on June 24th at Centennial High School
* Enrollment projections for the fall are mirroring this years’ enrollment stats

Chair Report/Parent Engagement Report:

* Lisa attended a Symposium hosted by the Ministry of Education in April. Handouts and materials for the Ministry of Education that are beneficial to parents were made available at the meeting.
* PRO Grant application will be submitted asking for funding of a Math and Internet Safety Evenings
* DSBN Strategic Plan has been revamped and renewed
* Congratulations to our students who participated in the DSBN Science Fair in April. Gordon had several winners at the Board event.
* Math Night was a great success as it was last year. Thank you to all of our teachers and staff for putting on such a great event.
* Fun Fair was also a great success, we hope to build on it next year

Financial/Fundraising Report:

* Fun Fair was financially successful, our most successful fundraiser of the year
* Money raised at Fun Fair will go toward the Crome Books
* Subsequent to meeting an email vote was taken to fund the freezies at Primary Play Day

Our next meeting is scheduled for September 28th, 2016. We will be holding elections and reviewing our bylaws at this meeting.

Adjournment